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6. [] Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)

7. [] Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)

a. [] Computer Readable Copy

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c. [] Statement Verifying identity of above copies

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. [XX] Assignment Papers (cover sheet and document(s)) to: <u>SANYO ELECTRIC CO., LTD.</u>, <u>Moriguchi-shi</u>, <u>Japan</u> Please publish the assignee data with the application.

9. [] 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (when there is an assignee)

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a. Priority of <u>Japanese</u> application No. <u>2002-325686</u> filed on <u>November 8, 2002</u> is claimed under 35 USC 119.					
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